

Compliance Deadlines & Extensions

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Compliance Deadlines (Draft 4)

- Existing Sources
 - Final compliance 36 months after effective date of rule
 - Submission of BACT/LAER proposals 18 months after effective date of rule
- New/Modified Sources
 - Upon start-up

Compliance Extensions (Current NR 445 & Draft 4)

- Existing Sources
 - Ability to get a 6 month extension from any deadline
- Existing Sources Subject to BACT/LAER Requirements
 - If DNR does not complete review within 6 months, source receives automatic 6 month extension



Compliance Extensions - Concerns

- Department will not be able to approve BACT/LAER proposals within 6 months of submittal.
- Sources subject to BACT/LAER may not have enough time to implement control requirements after Department approval and still meet the 36 month compliance deadline.
- Current language is ambiguous



February 2002 Proposal

- Compliance Deadlines & Extensions for Sources Subject to BACT/LAER Requirements
 - If Department does not complete review within 6 months source will be provided with an application "shield".
 - After Department approval, source will get either the longer of the balance of the original 36 month compliance period or 24 months.